CHIC TECHNIQUES

Inventive ideas for all skill levels

Rockin' Robots

Designate seating areas in a reading corner.

SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate
TIME NEEDED: 30 to 60 minutes

SCOTCH® BRAND SUPPLIES

Scotch® Expressions Washi Tape
Scotch® Expressions Masking Tape
Scotch™ Precision Scissors

OTHER SUPPLIES

Clear placemat
Sketchpad
Pencil

Give students their own reading space with taped sit-upons. Add colorful Expressions Tapes* to clear placemats for classroom seating that's lightweight and easy to store. Borrow the robot theme or change it up year after year.

** May damage some substrates upon removal.*

1. Trace the placemat to get the exact dimensions you're working within. Sketch out a robot design, keeping the shapes simple. Plan large rectangles for the head and body, small strips for the arms, hands, legs and feet.

2. Move the placemat on top of the sketch and use it like a stencil to position Expressions Washi Tape* and Expressions Masking Tape* for the robot. Once you've placed background tapes, enhance your design with layered eyes, a nose and mouth. You can also surround the head and body with darker tape.

3. Add a border to complete the sit-upon. Repeat all steps to make enough for your classroom.